License to photographers in Agra

258. SHRI KHAN GHUFRAN ZAHIDI:
SHRI MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZAMI:

Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to refer to the answer to Starred Question 639 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 6th May, 2003 and state:

(a) whether a large number of Photographer-workers of Agra had requested the ASI to issue them licenses under the revised guidelines;

(b) whether these persons were having licenses under the old policy also;

(c) if so, whether they have been issued licenses; and

(d) if so, when and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN): (a) Yes, Sir. A representation of some photo-workers of Agra has been received.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Applications received in prescribed format as and when called for by the Archaeological Survey of India will be considered for grant of photo-licences in terms of its policy guide lines.

World Bank aided Projects of Andhra Pradesh

259. DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) what is the present status of the World Bank aided Hydrology Project, A.P. Irrigation Project-III, and A.P. Economic Restructuring Project (Irrigation) in Andhra Prdesh;

(b) whether the projects have been completed; and

(c) if not, by when they are likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY): (a) to (c) The